How Come, How Long by Babyface & Stevie Wonder

There was a (1)_____ I used to know

She was (oh) so beautiful

But she's not (2)_____ anymore

She had a college degree

Smart as anyone (3)_____ be

Had so much to (4)_____ for

But she (5)_____ in love

With the (6)_____ (7)_____ man

He (8)_____ her love and (9)_____ her

so bad

There was not (10)_____ education in her world

That could save (11)_____ of this little girl

How come, how long

It's not right, it's so wrong

Do we let it just go on

Turn our backs and carry on

Wake up, for it's too late

Right now, we can't wait

She won't have a (12)_____ try

Open up your hearts

As well as your eyes

She tried to give a cry for help

She even blamed things on herself

But no one came to her aid

Nothing was (13)_____ as far as we (14)_____

tell

That's what we'd like to (15)_____ our self

But no, it wasn't that way

So she fell in love

With the (16)_____ (17)_____ man

And she (18)_____ (19)_____ her life

For loving (20)_____ man

So we (21)_____ ignore

We must look for the signs

And (22)_____ next time

We must save somebody's life

How come, how long

It's not right, it's so wrong

Do we let it (23)_____ go on

Turn our backs and (24)_____ on

Wake up, for it's too late

Right now, we can't wait

She won't have a second try

Open up your hearts

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I on occasion met that guy

It's been a feeling deep inside

Something about him wasn't right

The way he proves himself a man

By beatin' his woman (25)_____ his hands

(Oh) I wish she'd seen the light

How can someone (26)_____ that

Call himself a man (He's not a man)

In reality he's far more less than that

And we (27)_____ ignore

Whenever we see the signs

'Cause any kinda of abuse

God knows it's a crime

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Answer

1. girl
2. here
3. could
4. live
5. fell
6. wrong
7. kinda
8. abused
9. treated
10. enough
11. life
12. second
13. wrong
14. could
15. tell
16. wrong
17. kinda
18. paid
19. with
20. that
21. cannot
22. maybe
23. just
24. carry
25. with
26. like
27. cannot